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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Kazutaka AKIYAMA
Application No.: 10/807,274
Filed: March 24, 2004
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
MANUFACTURING METHOD

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) Group Art Unit: 2826
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) Examiner: Leonardo ANDUJAR
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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and after the Notice of Appeal filed February 11, 2008, which extends the period for response through April 11, 2008. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.